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MINUTES OF THE FORTY-FIFTH FDD CAREER SERVICE BOARD MEETING

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19 December 1957

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[REDACTED] announced that the training estimate for the month of January 1958 is 57 hours over the required 5%.

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Two external training requests were brought before the Board by [REDACTED] for approval. These requests, for [REDACTED] to attend a General Physics Course and [REDACTED] to attend English Composition I, both at [REDACTED], were approved by the Board.

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[REDACTED] discussed the transfer of [REDACTED] from BR to BE's Bulgarian Section and recommended him for a course in Bulgarian at [REDACTED]. Because of the high cost of the course, the feasibility of having [REDACTED] one of the three FDD students now taking this course, drop out to allow him to attend was discussed. Also it was mentioned that he might tend to slow down the other students, starting in during the second semester. In view of these comments, [REDACTED] withdrew his recommendation for the present time.

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[REDACTED] proposed Area Familiarization tours for [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

the Board. After discussion as to the possibility of other areas being of more intelligence value than the ones proposed, whether more could be gained by staying in one small area or traveling over a wider region, and the need for close contact with the DD/P desk concerned, [REDACTED] was approved in principle by the Board, with the specific points of travel to be determined later. The time proposed for his tour is tentatively April through May, since this may conflict with his attendance in the Swahili course.

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[REDACTED] announced that [REDACTED] is now located in BU, having transferred from BWV in accordance with his Career Preference outline.

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[REDACTED] announced that [REDACTED] scored Category 5 in the Language Aptitude Test, but stated this does not reflect her true ability. It was decided by the Board that a note be inserted

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in her personnel training folder stating that this does not hold true concerning her work and demonstrated ability, so that this will not be detrimental to future opportunities. This note is to be prepared by [REDACTED].

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[REDACTED] has asked for a person, perhaps one returning from [REDACTED] for a 2-year rotation tour of duty [REDACTED]. The person to be a male, preferably single, with a fluent understanding and reading knowledge of Russian. The rotation was approved in principle and a notice will be circulated throughout the branches for interested candidates.

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[REDACTED]
Secretary

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